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Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please enter the following amendments and remarks.

ELECTION OF CLAIMS:

In response to the election requirement mailed May 22, 1998, applicant elects, without traverse, the species shown in Fig. 1. Applicant believes that claims 1-11 and 13 as well as new claim 15 correspond to Fig 1.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 12 and 14 without prejudice to prosecution in a continuation, divisional, or other application. Please amend claims 1-11 and 13 as follows:

1. (Amended) Device for temperature measurement comprising:

a) a detector [(1)] for receiving heat radiation [(3)] emanating from a measurement spot [(2a)] on an object of measurement [(2)],

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